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LIGHT & POWER SUPPLIERS LTD.,

Managing Agents:
The Industrial Service Ltd.,
~~Commonwealth Building,~~
POONA 2.

Gumaste Building, 180 Budhwar, Peth. ~~Commonwealth Building,~~ *Laxmi Road, POONA 2*

Ref. *Our* PNL29/44-45
~~Your~~

Date 15th July 194

From,
Keshav Vyankatesh Sane,
Licensee, Athni Electric License 1940
And Manager Light And Power Suppliers Ltd,
Gumaste Building, 180 Budhwar Peth,
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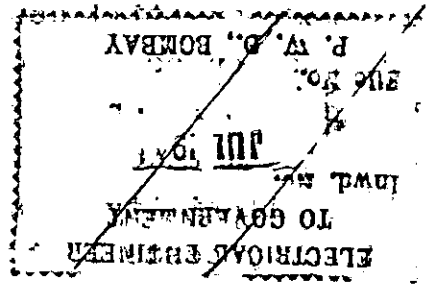
To,

The Deputy Secretary,
To the Government of Bombay,
Public Works Department, Secretariat,
B O M B A Y.



Sir,

Subject: War Cost Surcharge.

With reference to the Bombay Electricity Supply (Licensed Undertakings' War Costs) Order 1944, wherein every licensee shall - within 30 days from the commencement of this Order, is to submit a declaration to the Provincial Government, through the Electrical - Engineer to the Government of Bombay; stating whether in his opinion a War Cost Surcharge in terms of the Order is, or is not desirable in the case of his Undertaking, I beg to report that in my opinion surcharge to my Undertaking at Athni is an absolute necessity.

The Erection work at Athni was completed by the end of - August 1942 and permission for energizing the lines was sought. I was given to understand that under the Defence of India Rules, the permission was to be granted by the Central Government and the - necessary move for the grant of the said permission was taken in the month of October 1942, and after due enquiries and prolonged - considerations in the matter, the said permission was granted to energize the lines and to commence the supply at the end of January 1944,. During the above suspense period the undertaking had to - part with one of its generating Set for military purposes which in effect reduced the earning capacities of the Station. After the prolonged period of the said seventeen months the permission to energize the lines was granted. The restriction order prohibiting

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urther addition of new consumers was served along with the ermit Order, and before the general public was convinced as o the reality of the permission granted and before the - eneral public was made to believe that the supply is to continue permanantly and that the general public was to get a regular supply , the said allowed period of enrolling new - consumers was over and the undertaking had to remain satisfied with the number of consumers that were already enrolled upto the end of that restricted term of period. The general ublic were in still doubt regarding the capacities of the Power House on account of the scanty provision of one tiny Set which the Power House had at its command. The undertaking was completed under such odds and difficulties in the matter of the availability of all kinds of material. The investments are at heavy costs by themselves on account of the heavy - abnormal rise in the market prices and to add to the above the extra further expenses incurred during the suspense period of seventeen months resulting in the addition of interest - charges on idle investments, maintenance of the staff at the Power House and over head charges of the Head Office together with the incidental charges for obtaining the permission.

The Power House has been very recently started and no comparative statement as to the cost of generation and the cost actually realised per unit generated can be given for a comparative study . The deficit will be abnormally more than what it is with the Palghar Undertaking, the details of which we have - submitted seperately . The deficit at Athni will be comparatively still more than Palghar and the difficulty of covering the same can be faced by the following ways viz. by increasing the Surcharge at present allowed to be recovered and by allowing the Undertaking to add few more connections as may be suited to the capacity of the plant, over and above the ones' that have already been enrolled or if I am permitted to say by granting a permit of - installing a bigger capacity set, suitable for the requirements of the town.

I am sure that the matter will be considered very - favourably and the percentage of surcharge be allowed to be - increased further more and the permission for the addition of

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of further more consumers be granted.

Yours faithfully,

Keshav V. Sane

Licensee Athni Electric License 1940.

Encls: Copy of schedule duly completed.

Respectfully submitted through the Electrical Engineer to the Government of Bombay, Public Works Department, Bombay.

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Inwd. No. 3656
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Keshav V. Sane

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The First Schedule.

(To be read as forming part of the Second proviso to sub-Clause (2) of Clause 3)

Column 1. The Cost which may be taken in to account in calculating the rate of War Cost Surcharges.	
(a). Costs which it is estimated will be incurred after the date on which War Costs - Surcharges(or any subsequent revision thereof) are imposed and in respect thereof:-	
(1) War Risks Insurance.	Nil
(2) War Injuries Insurance.	Nil
(3) Dearness allowance to staff.	50% increase approximately over the wages paid in the year 1942-43
(4) Increased cost of maintenance materials properly debited - to current revenue.	Cannot be stated as our undertaking did not exist in 1939
(This shall be calculated for any period by multiplying the estimated number of units generated in that period by the difference between(a)the estimated maintenance materials costeper unite - generated in the same period and (b) the actuak maintenance materials cost per unit genera ted in the corresponding period of the Licensee's or sanction Holder's accounting year ending in 1939.)	
(5) Increased cost of Fuel.	Cannot be stated as our undertaking did not exist in 1939.
(This shall be calculated for any period by multiplying the estimated number of tons consumed in - that period by the differance - between (a)the estimated cost per ton consumed in the same period and (b) the actual cost per ton consumed in the corresponding - period of the Licensee's or sanction holder's Accounting - year ending in 1939.)	
(6) Increased cost of energy - purchased from bulk suppliers,	
(This shall be deemed to be for any period the difference between (a) the cost calculated at the bulk supplier's tariffs applicable of the estimated amount of energy purchased at the - estimated demand and power - factor during that period and (b) the amount which the same quantity of energy at the same demand and the power factor would have cost calculated at the bulk - supplier's tariff applicable in the corresponding period of the Licensee's or sanction holder's Accounting year ending in 1939)	

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Column 1.

(b) Costs which were incurred prior to the date on which War Cost Surcharges are first imposed and in respect of:-

(1) War Risks Insurance. — Nil.

(2) Dearness allowance to staff. — No increase in wages on account of permission - suspense period.

(3) Increased cost of maintenance materials properly debited to current revenue. — Cannot be stated as the undertaking did not exist in 1939

(This shall be calculated for any period by multiplying the actual number of units generated in that period by thee difference between(a)the actual maintenance materials cost per unit generated in the same period and (b) the actual maintenance materials cost per unit generated in the corresponding period of the Licensee's or sanction holder's Accounting Year ending 1939.)

(4) Increased cost of Fuel. — Cannot be stated as the undertaking did not exist in 1939.

(This shall be calculated for any period by multiplying the actual number of tons consumed in that period by the difference between (a)the actual cost per ton consumed in the same period and (b) the actual cost per ton consumed in the corresponding period of the Licensee's or sanction - holder's Accounting Year ending in 1939)

(5) Increased cost of energy purchased from bulk suppliers.

(This shall be deemed to be for any period the difference betwwen (a) the cost, calculated at the the bulk supplier's tariff appli cable of the actual amount of energy purchased at the actual demand and power factor during that period and (b)the amount which the same quantity of energy at the same demand and Power factor would have cost calculated at the bulk suppli er's tariff applicable in the corresponding period of the Licensee's or sanction holder's Accounting Year ending in 1939)

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Column 2.

The amount of the Cost detailed in the column 1 which may be - recovered.

(a) All or part in the discretion of the License or chare sanction holder after deducting - any amount estimated to be - recoverable by the continued operation of increases in or surcharges on the charges for for supply of energy as at 31st December 1939, or by the terms of any existing contract for the supply of energy.

Amount of the deficit to be recovered by increase in the War Cost-Surcharge as well as by a permit to increase reasonable number of consumers within the range or capacity of the present plant, and to issue new permit for installing of new set of a bigger capacity.

(b) So much of the balance after deducting any amount estimated to have already been recovered by the operation of increases in or surcharges on the - charges for supply of energy as at 31st December 1939, or by the terms of any contract for the supply of energy, as the Provincial Government may authorise.

Keshav V. Sane
Licensee, Athni Electric License 1940

Below letter No.P.N.29/44-45 dated the 15th July 1944 from the Licensee, Athni Electric License.

No.LRM.31/ 2952 of 1944.

Bombay, 30 August 1944.

Passed on with compliments to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Bombay.

2. In view of the position explained by the Licensee in his letter, it is suggested that the War Costs Surcharge at the maximum rate of 33 1/3% may be sanctioned in this case. The rate will be reviewed on receipt of the necessary details which have already been called for from the Licensee.

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2. The licensee has declared within the prescribed time-limit that the surcharge is an absolute necessity in the case of his undertaking. He has not stated the specific rate of surcharge. The El. Engr to Govt has called for the necessary details p11 in that connection from the licensee. In the meanwhile the El. Engr suggests that the War costs surcharge may be fixed in the licensee's case at the maximum rate of 33 1/3% subject to revision thereafter. In view of the R.E.A's opinion on the Divergen case the El. Engr's suggestion may be

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accepted and the licensee ~~is~~ included in the consolidated orders which are proposed to be issued separately.

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PART IV-A.

Rules and Orders (other than those published in Parts I and I-A) made by the Government of Bombay under the Acts of Parliament and the Central Acts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 9th August 1944.

Order.

No. 6331/36.—In pursuance of clause 4 (1) of the Bombay Electricity Supply (Licensed Undertakings' War Costs) Order, 1944, and subject to the provisos to that clause and the provisions of clause 6 of the said Order Government is pleased to fix, with effect from the date of this Order, the rate of War Costs Surcharge in respect of the undertakings of the licensees and the sanction holder mentioned in column 1 of the annexed schedule at the percentum shown against each of them in column 2 of the said schedule.

2. The existing surcharges applied by the said licensees and the sanction holder under the provisions of the orders issued in Government Notification, Public Works Department, No. 6041/36, dated the 11th March 1943, are withdrawn with effect from the date of this Order and it shall not be lawful for the said licensees and the sanction holder to supply energy at other than charges surcharged at the rate fixed in their respective cases in this Order except as provided in clause 5 of the Bombay Electricity Supply (Licensed Undertakings' War Costs) Order, 1944.

Schedule.

	Column 1. Name of the Licensees and the Sanction holder.	*Column 2.* Rate of War Costs Surcharge per centum.
1.	Messrs. The Surat Electricity Company, Limited	11
2.	Messrs. The Broach Electric Supply and Development Corporation, Ltd.	25
3.	Messrs. The Nasik-Deolali Electric Supply Company, Limited	18¾
4.	Messrs. The Amalgamated Electricity Company (Belgaum), Ltd., Belgaum Branch.	33 1/3
5.	Messrs. The Amalgamated Electricity Company (Belgaum), Limited, Bulsar Branch.	33 1/3
6.	Messrs. The Dohad Electricity Company, Limited, Dohad Electric License.	33 1/3
7.	Messrs. The Malegaon Electricity Company, Limited	33 1/3
8.	Messrs. The Dhulia Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
9.	Messrs. The Jalgaon Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
10.	Messrs. The Manmad Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
11.	Messrs. The Yeola Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
12.	Messrs. The Nadiad Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
13.	Messrs. The General Engineering Corporation, Limited, Licensee, Barsi Electric License.	33 1/3

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14.	Messrs. The Anand Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
15.	Messrs. The Matheran Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
16.	Messrs. The Chalisgaon Electricity Company, Limited	33 1/3
17.	Messrs. The Dharwar Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
18.	Messrs. The Rander Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
19.	Messrs. Oka Brothers & Thopate Company, Licensee, Mahad Electric License.	33 1/3
20.	Messrs. The Sanand Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
21.	Mr. Dinshaw Sorabji Damania, Licensee : Udwada Wapi Electric License .	33 1/3
22.	Messrs. The Wai Electric Light and Power Supply Corporation, Limited ...	33 1/3
23.	Messrs. The Panchgani Electric Supply Company, Limited, Licensee, Panchgani Electric License.	33 1/3
24.	Messrs. The Panchgani Electric Supply Company, Limited, Licensee. Mahableshwar Electric Licence.	33 1/3
25.	Messrs. The Bassein Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
26.	Messrs. Bhat Deshpande and Company, Sanction Holder, Sinnar Electric Supply.	33 1/3
27.	Messrs. The Savda-Faizpur Electric Supply Company, Limited... ...	33 1/3
28.	Messrs. The Viramgam Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
29.	Messrs. The Nipani Electricity Company, Limited	33 1/3
30.	Messrs. The Amalner Electric Supply Campany, Limited	30
31.	Messrs. The Nandurbar Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
32.	Messrs. The Karad Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
33.	Messrs. The Bijapur Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
34.	Mr. S. A. Manvi, Licensee, Gadag-Betigeri Electric License	33 1/3
35.	Messrs. The Ahmednagar Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
36.	Messrs. The Sangamner Electric Supply Company, Limited	33 1/3
37.	Mr. K. V. Sane, Licensee, Athani Electric License	33 1/3
38.	Mr. K. V. Sane, Licensee, Palghar-Navli Electric License	33 1/3
39.	Mr. G. P. Uplap, Licensee, Pandharpur Electric License	33 1/3

By order of the Governor of Bombay,
R. H. HAMMETT, Secy.

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No.6551/36-El. Public Works Department,
Bombay Castle, 9th August 1944.

From

The Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bombay,
Public Works Department.

To

Messrs The Surat Electricity Company, Limited.
Messrs The Broach Electric Supply & Development Corporation, Limited.
Messrs The Nasik-Deolali Electric Supply Company, Ltd.
Messrs The Amalgamated Electricity Company (Belgaum), Limited, Belgaum Branch.
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Mr. G. P. Uplap, Licensee, Pandharpur Electric License.

Subject:- WAR COSTS SURCHARGE.

Dear Sir/sirs,

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The enclosed copy of Government Order No.....

SCHEDULE NO. I 19 -ATHNI-

Details of War-Costs incurred during the accounting Year. 1942-43.

	Actual Cost incurred.	Estimated cost in 1939.	Increased cost expended over 1939.
I. Add. (1) War cost Insurance	—	—	NIL
(2) War Injuries Insurance.	—	—	NIL
(3) Dearness allowance to staff.	—	—	NIL
(4) Increased cost of maintenance material properly debitable to Rev a/c.	—	—	NIL
(5) Increased cost of Fuel.	—	—	NIL
Crude Oil.	—	—	NIL
Lubricating Oil.	—	—	
(7) Reduction in Revenue due to restrictions imposed in the supply of energy under D. of I Rules. (vide clause 8 of Order.)	—	—	6468-12-0
Total items 1 to 7	—	—	6468-12-0
II. Deduct. (B) Estimate Increase.			
(a) Increase on rates as at 31-12-39.	—	—	NIL
(b) Operation of the present rate of surcharge till the date of the order of proposed surcharge.	—	—	NIL
III Net amount of War-Costs to be carried to general statement.			6468-12-0

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SCHEDULE NO. II

Details of War-Costs incurred during the accounting Year, 1943-44:

	Actual cost incurred.	Estimated cost in 1939	Increased cost expended over 1939.	
I. Add (1) Warcost Insurance.	—	—	—	NIL
(2) War Injuries-Ins.	—	—	—	NIL
(3) Dearness allowance to staff.	—	—	—	NIL
(4) Increased cost of maintenance material properly debitable to Rev.a/c.	—	—	—	NIL
(5) Increased cost of- -Fuel.				
Crude Oil. 5 Tons.	786-9-0	405-0-0	381-9-0	
Lubricating Oil. 66⅔%.	270-0-0	165-10-0	104-6-0	485-15-0
(6) Reduction in Revenue due to restrictions imposed in the supply of energy under D of I Rules. (vide clause 8 of Order)	—	—	—	5812-8-0
Total item 1 to 7				6298-7-0
II. Deduct. (A) Estimated increase				
(a) Increase on rates as at 31-12-1939.	—	—	—	NIL
(b) Operation of the present rate of surcharge till the date of the Order, of proposed surcharge.	—	—	—	575-2-0
III. Net amount of War-Cost to be carried to general- statement:				5,723-5-0

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GENERAL STATEMENT.

(Under the First Schedule to the Bombay Electricity Supply - (Licensed Undertakings War Costs) Order 1944.)

4.(A) Period during which surcharge is now proposed to be levied under the Order i.e. Accounting Year 1944-45.

I. Add.

(1) War Risk Insurance.		NIL
(2) War Injuries Insurance.		NIL
(3) Dearness allowance to staff.		804-0-0
(4) Increased cost of maintenance-material properly debitable to current Revenue.		
(5) Increased cost of Fuel.		
Crude Oil. 9 Tons		6 86-13-0
Lubricating Oil. 92½ gls.		231-14-0
(6) Increased cost of Energy-purchased from bulk Suppliers.		
(7) Reduction in Revenue due to restrictions imposed in the supply of energy Under the D.Of I.Rules. (Vide clause 8 of the Order.)		3371-4-0
Total Items 1 to 7		5093-15-0

II. Deduct.

(B) Estimated increase on account of		
(a) Increase on the rates for the supply of energy as at 31st-December 1939.		
(b) Operation of the present rate of surcharge till the date of the Order re:the proposed surcharge		225-0-0
		4868-15-0

III Net amount of war costs to be taken into account i.e.I-II

(B) Period prior to(A)above.

I.Add.Items (1)to(7)as in (A) above } Schedules I 6468-12-0, II 6298-7-0 — 12767-3-0

II. Deduct.amount received on - account of

(a) Increase on the rates for the supply of energy as at 31st Dec. 1939.

(b) Surcharge imposed under the present order. } Schedule no. II — 575-2-0

12192-1-0

III. Net amount of war costs to be taken into account i.e.I-II — 17061-0-0

The total amount of war costs taken into account in calculating the war costs.i.e.(A)III (B)III . — 17061-0-0

Overall charges of the Licensee for the supply of energy before deducting prompt payment. — 4916-0-0

Percentage of Surcharge. . . . .

Gross revenue of the Undertaking for the period during which surcharge is proposed to be levied. — 6187-8-0

(Taking the total generation of 18700 Units during the year as per the figures of the previous year.)

Keshavan V. Sane

I, Keshav Vyankatesh Sane Licensee, Athni Electric License 1940, and Manager Light And Power Suppliers Limited, Gumasta Building, 180Budhwar Poona 2, hereby declare that:-

(a) That if at any time the Light and Power Suppliers Ltd. Company's Undertaking is assessed to excess profits tax in any chargable accounting period - ending subsequent to the date of War Cost Surcharge is first fixed under the Bombay Electricity Supply (Licensed Undertakings' War Cost Costs) - Order ,1944, then the amount of the Excess Profit after deduction of taxation due thereon, will be recorded and the Company will specially reduce the charges for the supply of energy so as to result in an estimated - reduction of gross revenue by an approximately equivalent amount during the next succeeding two Accounting Periods following upon the completion of the relative assessment .

Alternatively ,if the Government and the Company agree that such a special reduction of the charges for the supply of energy would, on account of other factors, result only in a temporary variation, or that the reduction would be negligible , the recorded amount will be placed by the Company to a Reserve to be called the "Rates Stabilisation Reserve" and this reserve will be taken fully and fairly into account in determining the magnitude of any subsequent revision of War Cost Surcharges or charges for supply of energy whether upwards or downwards.

(b) that if at any time during the enforcement of the taxation provisions of the Excess Profits Tax Act, 1940, the Company's Undertaking in any accounting period ending subsequent to the # date of War Cost Surcharge is first fixed under the aforesaid Order , earns profits exceeding 7 per cent .of the average amount of capital employed in the business during that period , then the amount of the excess , after deducting any smaller amount recorded or set aside to Reserve in terms of Clause (a) of this undertaking and the taxation due on such excess, as will be taken into - account to reduce the charges for supply of energy or be set to the - "Rates Stabilisation Reserve "in the same manner and on the same terms as are set out in the said clause (a).

Keshav V. Sane

Licensee and Manager, Light & Power Suppliers Ltd.

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7th August 1944.

From,
Keshav Vyankatesh Sane,
Licensee Athni Electric License, 1940.
Gumaste Building, 180 Budhwar, Poona. 2

To,
The Secretary to the Government of Bombay,
Public Works Department,
BOMBAY.

Sir,

Re: War Cost Surcharge.

With referance to your letter No.LRM31/1731 of 1944, dated 17th July 1944, and in continuation to my letter No.PW.29 - dated 15th July 1944, I am submitting herewith the necessary statement as required by you. The Capacity of the station when erected being the same as that of PALGHAR, I have presumed the same units of generatione as in the case of Palghar, though Athni has a better bying capacity and the number of consumers have been canvassed prior to the completion of works, there. The permission to energize the lines was held over on account of the Defence of India Rules. During the period of stoppage that the generation would have been 23000 Units as in case of Palghar and under item 7 of I A of the general statement the reduction in revenue is calculated on the above generation figure as basis.

The Undertaking has suffered a loss on account of the - said stoppage mentioned above, besides the abnormal heavy investments, made at the abnormal rates at the war time. I have already stated in my previous letter that the concern needs protection and maximum surcharge percentage be kindly granted to enable the concern to have a proper footing.

Requesting to receive a sympathatic consideration,

I beg to remain,
Sir,
Yours faithfully,

Keshav V. Sane

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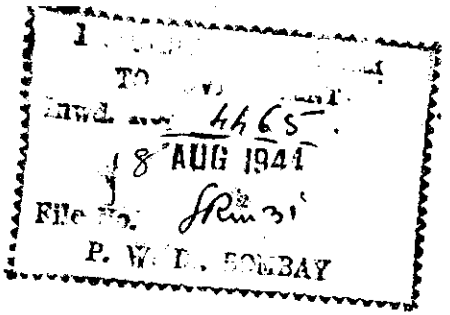
Enclo: General statement
and schedules.

Respectfully submitted through the Electrical Engineer to Govt:

Keshav V. Sane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Below letter No.PM.33/14-15 [illegible] 7th August 1944 from the Licensee M/s Electric Li[illegible]e,1940.

No.IRV.31/2133 of 1944.

Bombay, 9th August 1944.

Passed with compliments to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Bombay, in continuation of this office U.O.No.IRV.31/2053 dated the 3rd August 1944.

2. In accordance with the calculations submitted by the Licensee, the maximum rate of surcharge viz. 33 1/3% appears to be necessary and may be sanctioned, pending the review thereof in consultation with the Examiner, Outside Audit, Bombay.

Electrical Engineer to Govt.

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Submitted with reference to the
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2. Orders fixing the rate of 33 1/3 % in the case of the licences have been issued and communicated to the licensee — Vide item 37 in the Hh 1 & 2
Schedule to G.O. No 6331/36, of the 9-8-44 & G.L. of the same number & date.
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3. The papers will now be retd. n.o. to the El. Supr to put along with other cases for the review of the rate ~~fixed~~ in consultation with the Examiner outside Audit.

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OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL, BOMBAY.

Returned with compliments.

2. The licensee seems to have claimed the amount on account of increments granted to the staff, under the head "Dearness Allowance" Only the amount paid on account of dearness allowance to the staff is admissiole under the order and the licensee may be asked to state the amount estimated to be paid on this account.

3. The licensee has claimed sums of Rs.6,468-12-0 for 1942-43, Rs.5,312-8-0 for 1943-44 and Rs.3,371-4-0 for 1944-45 under the head "Reduction in revenue due to restrictions imposed in the supply of energy". No details showing how the above amounts have been worked out are given but from licensee's letter No.P.N.99-44-45, dated 7th August 1944, it appears that the amounts represent the value of units that would have been generated had the permission to energise the lines not been held over under the Defence of India Rules. This amount is not admissible under clause 8 of the order.

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4. If the amounts included in the calculations on account of reduction in revenue due to restrictions imposed be excluded and if the full amount of Rs.804 claimed on account of dearness allowanc to the staff be included, the surcharge admissible would work out to a little less than 33 1/3% allowed to the Company, but no reduction in surcharge is recommended.

5. The licensee has already furnished an undertaking in the form set out in the second schedule to the order. P.23

G. Ramakrishnan
Examiner, C.A.

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2. The Examiner, D.A.'s note overleaf may be shown n.o. to the El. Engr. to Govt. for his remarks.

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Below U.O.R.No.7049/36/33070 dated the 5th December 1944, from Government in the Public Works Department.

No. L Rev 31 3757 of 1944.

Bombay, 12.12. December 1944.

Returned, with compliments.

2. A copy of paras.2 and 3 of the Examiner, Outside Audit's remarks may be forwarded to the Company for compliance.

Electrical Engineer to Govt.

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2. The Examiner, O.A., has found certain discrepancies in the calculations, but recommends no reduction in the 33⅓% rate of surcharge fixed in respect of this (Athni) Undertaking. In view of the fact that the surcharge works out to a little less than 33⅓%, it does not seem necy. to ~~forward~~ communicate the remarks of the Examiner, O.A. to the Co., as suggested by the El. Engr. to Govt. The point is however, for orders.

DDA
26.12.44

Discrepancies discovered by the E.A.O. should be pointed out to the licensee. D.C.P.W. (E.)

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In view of the decision arrived at on file 6331/36(1) the accompanying draft may issue.

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28/12/44

No. 7049/36-El.(1)

P.W.D.,
B.C., 21st May 45.

To

K. V. Sane, Esqr.
Licensee, Th Athni El License, 1940,
Gumaste Bldg., 180, Budhwar,
Poona 2.

Subj: W.C.S.

Dear Sir,

I am to invite a ref. to your letter No. P.N. 99/44-45, d. the 5-8-44 on the subj. mentioned above and to state for your information that the following discrepancies have been noticed in the calcns. subtd. therewith, viz.,:—

Dearness Allowance: You seem to have claimed the amt. on acct. of increments granted to the staff. Only the amt. paid on acct. of dearness allowance to the staff (L.V.W.C.) B.E.S.C. is admissible under the Order, 1944.

Reduction in revenue due to restrictions imposed in the supply of energy: Sums of Rs. 6,468-12-0, Rs. 5,812-8-0 and Rs. 3,371-4-0 for the yrs. 1942-43, 1943-44 and 1944-45 respectively have been claimed on this acct. No details showing how the above amts. have been worked out are given. It appears from your letter ~~No. P.W. 99/46 dt. the 7-8-44~~ under ref. that these amounts represent the value of units that wd. have been generated had the permission to energize the lines not been withheld under the D.I.R. This amt. is not admissible under cl. 8 of the Order.

S.A. – Nil

Yours ffly.,

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